

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

1           A card game in which the player makes a wager to play one  
2 or more poker hands which are displayed as pay lines in a  
3 display that looks like a multi-line slot reel machine. Three  
4 adjoining horizontal rows, each having five card locations,  
5 are displayed to the player. The reels are spun a first time  
6 and one row of playing cards, such as the center row and  
7 representing a first hand, are displayed to the player. The  
8 player selects none, one or more of the face up cards from the  
9 first hand as cards to be held. The cards that are held are  
10 reused from the first row into all of the other rows. The  
11 reels that do not have held cards are then respun so that  
12 additional cards are displayed into the first row and all  
13 other rows so that each row is a five card hand. The poker  
14 hand ranking of each five card hand along each pay line which  
15 is being played by the player is determined. The player is  
16 then paid for any winning poker hands based on a pay table and  
17 the amount of the player's wager. The pay lines may comprise  
18 any suitable configuration of cards as long as there is only  
19 one card used from each card position regardless of which row  
20 the card is displayed in. Slot symbols may be used in place  
21 of the playing cards and the player is paid for winning slot  
22 symbol combinations instead of poker hand rankings.